III. Amendments to the Drawings

The attached sheets of Drawings includes changes to Figs. 2-7. These sheet, which includes Figs. 2-7, label the boxes as described in the specification.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet

Annotated Sheet Showing Changes

IV. Remarks

Reconsideration and allowance of the subject application are respectfully requested.

Claims 41-48 and 52-57 are pending in the application. Claims 41, 44, 52, and 54 are independent.

The Title has been amended, as required.

Corrected Drawings are submitted herewith to overcome the objection thereto.

Claims 41-51 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101 on the ground that the claimed invention is allegedly directed to non-statutory subject matter, for the reasons discussed on page 3 of the Office Action. Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection as the claims are directed to patentable subject matter. Nevertheless, without prejudice, Applicant has amended a number of the claims for clarity with respect to the specification and Drawings.

Claims 41-43, 46-50, 52, 53, and 56-59 stand rejected as being unpatentable over Walsh, Keskitalo, Walton, Marble, Kwak, Carter, and Jagadeesan, for the reasons discussed on pages 4-23 of the Office Action. Applicant respectfully traverses all art rejections.

The Examiner kindly indicated that Claims 44-45, 51, 54-55, and 60 contain allowable subject matter. Therefore, while specifically traversing the art rejections, and preserving Applicant's right to file a continuation application to pursue the broad but patentable claims, Applicant has incorporated subject matter from the allowable dependent claims into the independent claims solely to secure immediate allowance thereof.

In view of the above, it is believed that this application is now in condition for allowance, and a Notice thereof is respectfully requested.

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